

The paragraph appearing at page 1, lines 5-10:

The present invention relates to an emergency cooling system for a component which is subject to thermal load in operation, in particular a component of a turbine, ~~having the features of the preamble of claim 1~~. The invention also relates to a plug and to a component which are suitable for use in an emergency cooling system of this type.

Delete the paragraph appearing at page 4, lines 1-4.**The paragraph appearing at page 6, lines 23-26:**

Further important features and advantages of the present invention will emerge from the ~~subclaims, from the drawings and from the associated description of the figures on the basis of~~ the drawings.

At page 7, after the paragraph at lines 6-8, insert the following new paragraph:

Fig. 3 diagrammatically depicts an enlarged view similar to that illustrated in Fig. 1, according to another exemplary embodiment of the present invention.

The paragraph appearing at page 12, lines 4-10:

In another embodiment, ~~illustrated in Fig. 3, the~~ positive locking contours 18', 19' may form a bayonet catch, in which case ~~the~~ a plug 16' has first bayonet catch elements, for example

laterally projecting pins 18', while the emergency cooling opening 12 has corresponding, complementary second bayonet catch elements, for example suitable pin receptacles 19', so that the plug 16' can be anchored in the emergency cooling opening 12.

The paragraphs appearing at page 17, lines 18-23:

16, 16' Plug

17 Emergency cooling system

18 First positive locking contour/external screw thread of 16

18' First positive locking contour/laterally projecting pings of 16'

19 Second positive locking contour/internal screw thread of 12

19' second positive locking contour/pin receptacles of 12